

for Equitable Relief from Joint and Several Liability [Notice 98-61] received December 7, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12312. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Guidance Regarding Charitable Remainder Trusts and Special Valuation Rules for Transfers of Interests in Trusts [TD 8791] (RIN: 1545-AU25) received December 9, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12313. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Qualified Long-Term Care Insurance Contracts [TD 8792] (RIN: 1545-AV56) received December 14, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12314. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Small Business Taxpayer Advance Pricing Agreements [Notice 98-65] received December 14, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12315. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Special Rules for Certain Transactions Where Stated Principal Amount Does Not Exceed \$2,800,000 [Revenue Ruling 98-58] received December 14, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12316. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Treatment of Loans with Below-Market Interest Rates [Revenue Ruling 98-59] received December 14, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12317. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Last-in, first-out inventories [Revenue Ruling 98-62] received December 14, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12318. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Items of General Interest [Notice 98-62] received December 14, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12319. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Payment by Credit Card and Debit Card [TD 8793] (RIN: 1545-AW38) received December 14, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12320. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Earned income credit for taxable years beginning after December 31, 1978 [Revenue Ruling 98-56] received November 12, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12321. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rules and regulations [Revenue and Procedure 98-57] received November 13, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12322. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—1999 Limitations Adjusted As Provided In Section 415(d), Etc. [Notice 98-53] received November 18, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12323. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Permitted disparity with respect to employer-provided contribu-

tions or benefits [Revenue Ruling 98-53] received November 18, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12324. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Returns Relating to Higher Education Tuition and Related Expenses [Notice 98-59] received November 18, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12325. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Clark D. and Janis L. Pulliam v. Commissioner [Docket No. 12923-95] received November 20, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12326. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Cash or Deferred Arrangements; Nondiscrimination [Notice 98-52] received October 29, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12327. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Last-in, first-out inventories [Rev. Rul. 98-54] received October 28, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12328. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Returns Relating to Interest on Education Loans [Notice 98-54] received October 28, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12329. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Basis Reduction Due to Discharge of Indebtedness [TD 8787] (RIN: 1545-AU71) received October 22, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12330. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Test of Mediation Procedure for Appeals [Announcement 98-99] received October 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12331. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rulings and determination letters [Rev. Proc. 98-56] received November 2, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12332. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Awards of Costs and Certain Fees in Tax Litigation [Notice 98-55] received November 4, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12333. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Examination of returns and claims for refund, credit or abatement; determination of correct tax liability [Rev. Proc. 98-55] received November 9, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12334. A letter from the Chairman, International Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendments to Rules of Practice and Procedure [19 CFR Parts 201 and 207] received November 9, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12335. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medicare Program; Part A Premium for 1999 for the Uninsured Aged and for Certain Disabled Individuals Who Have Exhausted Other Entitlements [HCFA-8000-N] (RIN: 0938-AJ03) re-

ceived October 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12336. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Social Security Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Listening-In to or Recording Telephone Conversations (RIN: 0960-AE66) received December 3, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12337. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Social Security Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Application of State Law in Determining Child Relationship (RIN 0960-AE30) received December 3, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12338. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Service's final rule—Medicare Program; Revisions to Payment Policies and Adjustments to the Relative Value Units Under the Physician Fee Schedule for Calendar Year 1999 [HCFA-1006-FC] (RIN: 0938-AI52) received November 4, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Commerce and Ways and Means.

12339. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Presidential Determination No. 99-5, waiving certain restrictions on the maintenance of a Palestine Liberation Organization Office and on PLO funds for an additional six month period through May 25, 1999, pursuant to Public Law 105-277; jointly to the Committees on International Relations and Appropriations.

12340. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule—Medicare Program; Monthly Actuarial Rates and Monthly Supplementary Medical Insurance Premium Rate Beginning January 1, 1999 [HCFA-8003-N] (RIN: 0938-AI98) received October 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

[The following action occurred on December 15, 1998]

Mr. HYDE: Committee on the Judiciary. House Resolution 611. Resolution impeaching William Jefferson Clinton, President of the United States, for high crimes and misdemeanors (Rept. 105-830). Referred to the House Calendar.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. HOUGHTON (for himself and Mr. KING of New York):

H.J. Res. 139. A joint resolution expressing the sense of Congress with respect to the censure of William Jefferson Clinton; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MCHALE:

H.J. Res. 140. A joint resolution condemning and censuring William Jefferson Clinton; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SPENCE:

H. Res. 612. A resolution expressing unequivocal support for the men and women of our Armed Forces who are currently carrying out missions in and around the Persian Gulf region; considered and agreed to.